IN THE HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY AT GOA

CRIMINAL WRIT PETITION NO. 40 OF 2005

ULHAS R. NAIK,PRESENTLY LODGED AS CONVICT NO.631, AT CENTRAL JAIL AGUADA. ....Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF GOA THROUGH CHIEF SECRETARY AND 2 ORS., ...Respondents

Ms. Winnie Coutinho, P.P. for the State.

Coram:- N. A. BRITTO, J.

Date:- 9th January, 2006

P.C.

Heard Ms. Coutinho, the learned P.P. on behalf of the respondent. By Order dated 02.12.2005, the respondent-Inspector General of Prisons, was directed to consider the application of the petitioner, if made, for the release of the petitioner on parole to enable him to attend the wedding which was fixed on 03.12.2005. However, it was submitted by the learned P.P. that no application was made by the petitioner. In fact the petitioner had approached this Court for his release on parole to enable him to attend the said wedding without approaching the Inspector General of Prisons. By the same order dated 02.12.2005, it was ordered that the refusal to grant parole to the petitioner by order dated 27.09.2005, would be considered in this Writ Petition.

However, the learned P.P. Ms. Coutinho has produced a copy of the order dated 03.01.2006, by which the petitioner has now been ordered to be released on parole for a period of 15 days with conditions annexed to the said order. In view of the said Order dated 03.01.2006, nothing will survive in this petition. Consequently, the same is hereby dismissed as

infructuous.

Inform the petitioner.

N. A. BRITTO, J.

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